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Secretary of Education Issues Statement on 2007-08 Accountability Progress Report

Sacramento, Calif. – Secretary of Education David Long today issued the following statement regarding the release of the 2007-08 Accountability Progress Report (APR):

"It is encouraging to see positive, steady improvement and that year-after-year California schools continue to move forward. While the 2007-08 APR results show improvements, there is still much to be done. We must continue in our commitment to close the achievement gap throughout the state and work to ensure that all students are proficient in every area of instruction."

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